

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A use-limitation homepage providing system which connects a communication terminal to a URL conversion server and to a management server in order and provides a use-limitation homepage in homepages which are stored in the management server to the communication terminal through an information network, wherein the communication terminal comprises:

a barcode reader which reads a barcode printed on a card on which the barcode including identification information is printed; and

a first communication processing section which transmits the identification information in the card and IP address of the communication terminal to the URL conversion server,

the URL conversion server comprises:

an address conversion section which converts the identification information to URL address of the management server corresponding to this identification information transmitted from the communication terminal; and

a second communication processing section which transmits the identification information transmitted from the communication terminal and the IP address of the communication terminal to the management server addressed by the URL address of the management server,

and

the management server comprises:

an access permission section which transmits permission information regarding the permission to access the use-limitation homepage corresponding to the identification information to the communication terminal addressed by the IP address when the management server receives the identification information through the URL conversion server.

2. The use-limitation homepage providing system as claimed in

claim 1, wherein the access permission section limits an access permission period where the user can access the use-limitation homepage only during this permission period.

5 3. The use-limitation homepage providing system as claimed in claim 1, wherein the access permission section limits the number of accesses to the use-limitation homepage a predetermined times.

10 4. The use-limitation homepage providing system as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a request section which requests to input a password printed on the card to the communication terminal,

15 wherein the access permission section permits the access of the use-limitation homepage to the communication terminal only when the password transmitted from the communication terminal is equal to one of passwords which are registered in advance.

20 5. The use-limitation homepage providing system as claimed in claim 2, further comprising a request section which requests to input a password printed on the card to the communication terminal,

25 wherein the access permission section permits the access of the use-limitation homepage to the communication terminal only when the password transmitted from the communication terminal is equal to one of passwords which are registered in advance.

30 6. The use-limitation homepage providing system as claimed in claim 3, further comprising a request section which requests to input a password printed on the card to the communication terminal,

35 wherein the access permission section permits the access of the use-limitation homepage to the communication terminal only when the password transmitted from the communication

terminal is equal to one of passwords which are registered in advance.

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